

## NEWS AND VIEWS...

### And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

Apparently, a lot of us made a big mistake a few years ago when we were so critical of the post office for not paying its own way and of it being so political in its job opportunities.

It seemed so practical at the time why couldn't the post office be operated like any other big business? It looked like good management could give better service at lower cost.

And maybe if the new Postal Service had been completely able to operate as an independent business from the beginning it might have done a better job. But we doubt it. By nature the Postal Service has to be a service organization.

For 200 years the system has served our nation in many ways and the idea of reliable postal service has been accepted as part of our American way of life.

The postal service has been regarded since the earliest days of our Republic as one of the most basic and necessary services a nation can provide its people, a unique communications network binding America and Americans together.

But something has happened to the postal service in the past few years and the trend is frightening. Since 1971 when the Postal Reorganization Act put the Postal Service into business, things have gone downhill.

Rates for all classes of mail have skyrocketed, services have been slashed and the deficits for the postal service are now counted in the billions of dollars. Only emergency appropriations from Congress have saved the Postal Service from completely going under.

Now the rush to disaster has been even more accelerated by a decision last December of the U. S. Court of Appeals in Washington which endorsed the Postal Services "business" posture, and ordered the earliest possible implementation of a totally cost-based rate system, with no consideration of public policy or market factors permitted.

To do this the postal service must raise rates and cut services.

Everybody is aware of the continuing increase in the first class rates that have already risen to 13 cents with the next step to 16 cents already in the mill. But the increase in first class mail is only a part of this increase in rates.

For instance, second class postal rates, such as the mailing for newspapers and magazines, have increased over 500 percent in the last five years. And now, the Postal Service has filed a formal request to raise rates by another 30 percent over this already inflated base.

Now your first thought might be that you do not mail anything second class and this does not affect you... but it does if you get a newspaper or magazine in the mail. Subscription prices of publications are set to cover the cost of the publication, plus the cost of delivering it. If the cost of delivery goes up, then the subscription price goes up.

So in the end who has been getting a government subsidy — the publisher or the reader? Does the person living in the Big Bend Park area have as much right to receive Time magazine as does someone in Dallas or New York?

Coupled with these rate increases is the Postal Service's plan to further reduce basic services. We all know of the plan to eliminate Saturday delivery of mail early next year. Even more frightening is the section of the new rate filing in which the Postal Service relates how much money it could save by going to three-day delivery. Still another plan calls for the slowing of overnight processing of mail, the peak period of mail volume, to save money.

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## Pete Andrews, Quay Parker Get Judicial Dist. Appointments

H. G. (Pete) Andrews Jr. of Stamford and Quay F. Parker of Albany were appointed Tuesday to the newly created 25th judicial district by Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

Andrews was appointed judge of the district and Parker was named the new district's attorney.

Andrews' appointment was somewhat of a surprise as he was not one of the three being mentioned for the new position. Those being mentioned as actively seeking the post were local attorney Jack Willingham, Jones County Judge Leon Thurman and Parker.

The new district was created by the 1977 legislature for Jones and Shackelford counties and becomes effective Sept. 1.

Andrews is a graduate of the University of Texas Law School and former Jones County Judge. He also has served as mayor of Stamford and board member of the State Board of Public Welfare and Texas Motor Vehicle Commission.

Parker, a native of Arkansas City, Kan., is currently serving as Shackelford County judge. He is a former assistant city attorney for Abilene, and assistant district attorney for the 29th District. He was appointed to his present position in December, 1975.

He is a 1966 graduate of Abilene Christian University and graduated from Oklahoma City University School of Law in 1971 and was admitted to the Texas Bar in 1972.

## Classes Start For Students Monday

The Hamlin Public Schools will open its doors to students Monday morning following a week of in-service training for the faculty, according to Bob Hawes, superintendent.

Buses will run their regular routes Monday and both cafeterias will be in operation, he said.

Students in both the middle school and high school will register for classes today (Thursday) and Friday.

Eighth grade students will register at 1 p.m. today (Thursday), seventh grade students at 9 a.m. Friday, and sixth grade students at 10:30 a.m. Friday.

The high school schedule calls for seniors to register from 1 to 2:30 p.m. today (Thursday), followed by the juniors from 2:30 to 4 p.m. Sophomores will register

from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Friday, with freshmen registering from 10:30 to noon.

Dr. Wayne Milligan and Ray Simmons of the Region 14 Education Service Center have been working with the local teachers this week on the new Accreditation Program required by the state. This has been the major emphasis of the in-service training program for teachers this week.

The teachers will spend most of today and Friday getting ready for classes Monday.

All workers that can help with a cleanup of Aftor Cemetery, five miles west of Hamlin, are asked to bring mowers, hoes and tools Tuesday to start work about 8:30 a.m.



**NEW MIDDLE SCHOOL CONCEPT**—Superintendent Bob Hawes, right, talks over the new individualized instruction concept for Middle School with Mrs. Gene Prewit, left, and two consultants. The two consultants, Mary Cole, left, and Charlene Wunderlich, right, are working with the middle school teachers this week as part of their in-service training program. They are from the Comal Independent School District which is recognized as the pilot project in the state for this type instructional program.

More than the name was changed when the Hamlin School system switched from calling the building housing the sixth, seventh and eighth grade students from Junior High School to the Middle School. The whole concept of teaching is also being changed, according to Marvin Carlton, principal.

"The middle school concept emphasizes student involvement in as many different educational experiences as possible," he said. Students of middle school age have need of a

school in which they can take part in a greater variety of courses than we have offered in the past, he added.

"As a result of this exploratory state, we hope our students will be able to make better decisions about the courses they will be taking in high school," Carlton said.

Two consultants are working this week with the teachers in the middle school as they get ready for this new concept with the opening of school Monday.

Working with the teachers in in-service training are

Mary Cole and Charlene Wunderlich of the Comal Independent School District near New Braunfels. This is the model school district for the state in this type of program.

In addition to daily classes in language arts, social studies, math, science and physical education, the students will have the opportunity to choose from a large number of six weeks elective courses. "These elective courses are designed to stimulate and create in-

terests, create a desire for further involvement, and some are 'just for enjoyment,'" Carlton said.

The team teaching concept will be introduced in all regular courses this year. From three to five teachers will instruct each class. Textbooks will not be issued to individual students as in the past, but a student may take a textbook home at any time, Carlton said.

"Our goal is to teach each student according to his or her needs through in-

dividualized instruction," Carlton said. It will take a period of time to make this change from a school whose instruction was based on a textbook to a school whose instruction is based on the needs of children, he added. "We plan to take advantage of the resources that are now available," Carlton said.

"It is the purpose of our school to meet the educational needs of all students, regardless of their learning styles or individual differences," he said. "In striving to achieve this, it is

our desire to make our school a school in which every individual finds some area of success," added Carlton.

"Only through a cooperative effort among students, parents and the community can we achieve this goal," Carlton said.

"Hamlin has the finest, most modern building for children of intermediate age in this part of the state, and we believe our people want an up-to-date, effective education program to go in it," Carlton declared.

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SUNDAY AFTERNOON, 2 TO 3:30—

## BCD to Host Reception Sunday For New Doctors and Dentist

The directors of the Hamlin Board of Community Development will honor Hamlin's two new physicians and new dentist at a reception Sunday from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

To be honored will be physicians Dr. R. L. Stafford, his wife, Janet, daughters Stephanie and Suzanne, and his mother, Mrs. Esta Stafford; Dr. N. R. Kulkarni; and the new dentist, Dr. Derrel H. Davis and his wife Pam.

Special guests will be Mrs. Stafford's parents, Larry and Margaret White of Cayucos, Calif.

Peggy Bonds, executive secretary of the Hamlin BCD until Sept. 1, is making arrangements for the reception. She will be assisted by members of the board and their spouses.

Dr. Stafford joined the staff of the Hamlin Clinic July 26,

moving here from Elko, Nev. His family moved here later.

Dr. Kulkarni, a native of India, moved here from Lamesa and joined the staff the same week. His family is currently staying in India until their permanent visa is

approved. He previously practiced medicine in England and was in Lamesa about one month.

Dr. M. L. Smith and Dr. Joe Don Hymers are other doctors at Hamlin Clinic.

Dr. Davis purchased the

dental practice of Dr. James E. Harrison and has been in Hamlin since Aug. 12. His wife will be teaching in the Tri-County Plan A and will be a resource teacher here in the middle school in the team teaching arrangement.



**IN-SERVICE TRAINING**—Dr. Wayne Milligan, left, with the Region 14 Education Service Center, works with local teachers Tuesday as part of the district's in-service training program. Dr. Milligan is working with the local district on its first phase of the new Accreditation Process required by the state. The new process is a five-year program with the first year dealing with the goals of the district.

## Pipers to Scrimmage Merkel Friday Night

The Pipers will travel to Merkel Friday night for their second and final scrimmage before starting their regular season at Stamford, Sept. 2. The Junior Varsity will open the scrimmage action at 6, with the varsity scrimmage getting underway at about 7:30.

The Pipers had their hands full with the highly rated Colorado City Wolves here Friday night in their opening scrimmage.

Coach Bill Grissom said Monday that he felt his offensive unit was coming

along all right but that the defensive unit still had a lot of work to do. Most of the offensive line is back intact from last year's team that made it into the Regional playoffs but the defensive unit is in a rebuilding year.

While the Merkel Badgers are not rated as high as the Wolves, reports indicate that they have an even bigger team than Colorado City. Both teams are strong Class AA clubs.

The first home game this season will be a junior varsity contest with Stamford here Sept. 1. The local junior varsity will play a nine game schedule this year. Because of the lack of players below the varsity level, the Pipers will not have a freshman schedule.

The Middle School will play an eight game schedule with the season opening here Sept. 8 with Haskell. The seventh grade game will start at 5, followed by the eighth grade teams.

### Merkel Club Sets Taco Sale Friday

The Merkel Quarterback Club is sponsoring a Taco Sale Friday evening preceding and during the scrimmage. The sale will be in the concession stand at the stadium.

The tacos will be three for \$1 or 35 cents each.

### New Emergency Room Entrance

The emergency room entrance at Hamlin Memorial Hospital is now at the nurses desk door on the north side of the hospital building, according to Billy J. Speck, administrator.

Mrs. Speck made this announcement because of some confusion in getting emergency patients to proper treatment rooms.

Signs will be posted to show the emergency entrance, she said.

### Free Health Clinic Today

The free health clinic will be held today, Thursday, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the City Hall conference room.

DPT, polio, rubella and measles immunizations will be given.

Erma Wallace, school nurse, reminds parents that all children are required to have immunizations to enter school.

## More Than Name Is Changed At Middle School



# Neinda Philosopher Wants A List of Superior City Banks Interested In Making Bad Loans

Editor's note: The Neinda Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Route One gets in pretty deep this week discussing finances.

Dear editor:  
In examining the tangled financial affairs of Director Bert Lance of the Office of Budget and Management, one Washington expert complained about "sloppy

country banking."  
As I understand this, he means there's a difference between country banking and city banking, with the implication that city banking is superior.  
What I want to know is where can I get hold of a list of some of those superior banks? For example, one of the biggest banks in Atlanta has just discontinued paying

stockholders any dividends because it has lost too much money on bad loans. It's too late to get in on that, but if that Washington expert will let me in on the names of other big city banks in the business of making bad loans, I'd like to get in line. All the country banks around here believe in making only good loans.  
As I understand Mr.

Lance's situation, he borrowed money from one city bank to buy stock in another city bank, then when the first bank's note came due he borrowed from a third bank to meet that note. Washington experts try to make this sound complicated. Mr. Lance's problem is simple: he ran out of banks.  
Now there are some people who're saying, when they

learned that about everything Mr. Lance has is mortgaged to the hilt, that he shouldn't be in charge of managing the government's financial affairs when he's having so much trouble managing his own. This should not be put to a popular vote. He'd win hands down if he got the votes of everybody in America whose house, boat, both cars, lawnmower, television set,

washing machine, dish washer, etc., are owed on.  
I know a man who, fighting to pay his bills, sat down one day and figured up all the monthly payments he'd signed up for and discovered they came to more than his monthly income.  
I don't know of any country bank interested in interviewing him for a job. He'd do better to apply to

some superior city bank or, if that fails, try for a government job.  
Yours faithfully,  
J.A.  
"I know at last what distinguishes men from animals: financial worries."  
Jules Renard  
"No knowledge is so easily found as when it is needed."  
Robert Henri

New books at THE HAMLIN HERALD include The Total Man by Dan Benson; I Love the Word Impossible by Ann Kiemel; How come it's taking me so long to get better? by Lane Adams; The Joy of Being a Woman by Ingrid Trobisch; and many others.

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**QUANTITY RIGHTS**  
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**KITCHEN TREAT All Varieties**  
**POT PIES**  
**PARADE Limit 1 Please**  
**FLOUR**

**6/\$1**

**49¢**

**99¢**

## Double S&H Green Stamps Wed. & Saturday

**PARADE CUT #303 cans**  
**Green Beans 4/\$1**  
**3 RING SWEET #303 cans**  
**PEAS 4/\$1**  
**3 RING #300 cans**  
**Pork & Beans 5/\$1**

**ALL CONCENTRATE 10¢ OFF LABEL**  
**Detergent gt. size \$1.25**  
**PARADE INSTANT 3 oz. jar**  
**TEA \$1.39**  
**PARADE 12 oz. bottle**  
**Chili Sauce 49¢**

**CHEER OR TIDE 10¢ Off Limit 1 Please**  
**Detergent**

**Wesson**  
**COOKING OIL**  
**28 oz. bottle**  
**\$1.79**

**Gladiola White or Yellow**  
**CORNBREAD MIX**  
**pouch**  
**7/\$1**

**BIG BUYS in**  
**HEALTH AND BEAUTY AIDS**  
**CLOSE UP Reg. .93 4.6 oz.**  
**Toothpaste 59¢**  
**Sanitary Pads STAY FREE MINI 48 ct. Pkg. Reg. 2.59 \$2.39**  
**PARADE SOFT PUFFS**  
**Cotton Balls 49¢**  
**Pretty Feet \$1.99**  
**MEDI QUICK 3 oz. size**  
**SPRAY Reg. 1.75 \$1.59**

**PARADE Cat Food 6 oz. cans 2/57¢**  
**PARADE Ravioli 15 oz. cans 45¢**  
**PARADE 15 oz. can**  
**Spag.-Meat Balls 45¢**  
**NABISCO CHIPS ANOY OR COCO CHOC CHIP COOKIES 14 oz. bag 89¢**  
**POST SUGAR CRISP CEREAL 18 oz. box \$1.15**  
**PURINA WHISKER LICKINS 6 oz. can 37¢**  
**DEL MONTE SWEET CUCUMBER CHIPS PICKLES 15 oz. jar 59¢**  
**KRAFT Sandwich Spread 16 oz. jar 89¢**  
**MRS BAIRDS Snake Cake 5/\$1.00**  
**Borateem Plus 3 lb. box \$1.09**

**Parade CATSUP 26 oz. bottle 59¢**  
**Hunts Whole New POTATOES No. 300 can 3/\$1**

**Parade SAUERKRAUT No. 303 can 4/\$1**  
**Van Camp White or Gold HOMINY No. 300 can 5/\$1**  
**Parade TOMATO SAUCE 8 oz. can 6/\$1**

**Back to School Specials**  
**ALADDIN FILLER 200 ct. pkg. Reg. .89 53¢**  
**PAPER**  
**DUO TAND WITH POCKETS Folders Reg. .39 19¢**  
**ELMERS Glue Reg. .43 24¢**  
**PRIMARY SCHOOL #2112 Tablet Reg. .45 29¢**  
**EMPIRE #2 lead Pencils Reg. .08 5¢**

**BIG BUYS in**  
**MEAT**  
**MARKET SLICED**  
**Beef Liver 39¢ LB**  
**MARKET SLICED**  
**Calf Liver 49¢ LB**  
**LEAN**  
**Ground Beef 99¢ LB**  
**USDA Inspected Heavy Beef**  
**Chuck Roast 7-Bone Cut 79¢ LB**  
**USDA Inspected Heavy Beef**  
**Arm Roast 89¢ LB**  
**USDA Inspected Heavy Beef**  
**Family Steak 7-Bone Cut 89¢ LB**  
**USDA Inspected Heavy Beef**  
**Swiss Steak Cut 99¢ LB**  
**LEAN BONELESS**  
**Stew Meat 99¢ LB**  
**FARMLAND**  
**Bacon 12 oz. pkg. \$1.19 each**  
**GOOCH**  
**Franks 12 oz. pkg. 79¢ each**

**FAMILY PAK**  
**Ground Beef 69¢ LB**  
**USDA Inspected Heavy Beef**  
**Chuck Roast 69¢ LB**  
**Blade Cut**  
**ARMOUR STAR Dinner Franks 2 LB pkg. \$2.29 each**  
**OSCAR MAYER Bologna 12 oz. pkg. \$1.09 each**  
**CLAUSSEN QUART SIZE**  
**Kosher Pickles \$1.19 each**  
**GOOCH**  
**Hot Links 99¢ LB**  
**ARMOUR STAR**  
**Smoked Sausage \$1.59 1 LB pkg.**  
**(Heat & Eat)**  
**Beef Steaks or Fingers 99¢ LB**  
**Fix Before the Football Game!**  
**Bar-B-Q Chicken 89¢**  
**Beef \$1.59**  
**Beans 49¢**

**IMPERIAL**  
**Margarine LB. QUARTERS 59¢**  
**MERICO TEXAS STYLE**  
**Biscuits 10 ct. cans 5/\$1**  
**PARADE SOFT**  
**Margarine 1 pound tub 49¢**  
**GANDY Assorted Flavors**  
**DRINKS gal. jug 89¢**  
**GANDY All Flavors**  
**YOGURT 3/\$1**  
**BOOTH**  
**Fishsticks 1 pound Pkg. \$1.19**  
**FLAV-R-PAC 10 oz. Pkg.**  
**Cauliflower 49¢**

**BIG BUYS in**  
**DAIRY AND FROZEN FOODS**  
**JRB ALL VARIETIES**  
**Mellorine 1/2 gal. carton 49¢**  
**FLAV-R-PACK CHOPPED**  
**Broccoli 10 oz. 3/\$1**  
**BOOTH**  
**Fishburgers 12 oz. Pkg. 99¢**  
**MERICO BUTTER ME NOTS**  
**Biscuits 39¢**  
**MERICO CINNAMON 9 1/2 oz. 49¢**  
**Rolls**



## Phebean Class Installs Officers In Church Parlor

## Local Young Homemakers Meet Thursday

Phebean Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met in the church parlor Tuesday, Aug. 16 for installation of officers. Hostesses were Georgia George and Raye Gregory.

Mrs. Fred Proctor of Abilene installed the following officers: Dorothy Albritton, outreach leader; Mary Holmes, assistant outreach leader; Zelma Perryman, secretary; Leona Carter, assistant secretary; Raye Gregory, treasurer; Lynn Parker, card chairman and Mildred Weaver, assistant card chairman.

Mrs. Madge Jones gave the opening prayer. The installation prayer was given by Mrs. George Ervin.

Others attending were Jewel Scott, Evelyn Bingham, Mayme Deel, Gladys Miller and Maggie Wainscott.

Guests were Rev. Howard Jones, Ronnie Carpenter, Marie Hill, Pat Stubblefield and Albert George.

The Hamlin Chapter of Young Homemakers met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Robert Moore for a Get-acquainted Tea for new members. Punch and cookies were served and plans for the coming year were also discussed.

New officers chosen for the coming year were: Mrs. Mac Reid, president; Mrs. Warren Reynolds, vice president; Mrs. Herman Daniell, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Roy Pritchard, reporter; Mrs. Robert Moore, historian; and Mrs. Pat Willoughby, parliamentarian.

New members attending were: Mmes. Gary Neal, Gary McMillian, and Ronnie Carpenter. Other members were Mmes. Moore, Larry McCoy, Bill Hodnett, Warren Reynolds, Mac Reid, Herman Daniell and Joe Wayne Carter, advisor.

Anyone interested in joining YHT should contact Mrs. Reynolds after 5 at 576-2583. Deadline will be Sept. 1.

Pictures used in the Hamlin Herald may be picked up by the owner within two weeks after publication.



**NEW PASTORS**—Rev. and Mrs. Freddy Weaver are the new pastors of First Assembly of God Church here. She is the former Clara Crabb. The couple was honored Sunday evening at a welcome party hosted by the board of deacons at the church.

### Rev., Mrs. Weaver Named

### Assembly of God Pastors Here

The Rev. and Mrs. Freddy Weaver were here Sunday for the first service as new pastors of First Assembly of God Church. They have two

children, Micky, 8, and Michelle, 6.

The Weavers were associate pastors and youth director at Light House Assembly of God Church in Bowie for four years before going on the evangelistic field for 13 months.

Mrs. Weaver is the former Clara Crabb of Hamlin. Weaver is a native of Old Glory and graduated from high school in Aspermont.

The family was honored with a welcome party Sunday evening after worship services at the church sponsored by the Board of Deacons. A gift from the church membership was a money tree.

Visitors last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Randall A. Wright were her niece, Mrs. Joe Baulch and children Clay, Sally, Joel and Amy, of Morrow, Ga., and Mrs. Wright's three sisters, Mrs. W. F. Fiveash of Abilene, Mrs. V. L. Elliott of Sweetwater and Mrs. T. N. Minix of Big Spring.

### Retired Persons Make Plans for Sept. 1 Meeting

The American Association of Retired Persons will meet at 6 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church on Thursday, Sept. 1 for a covered dish supper.

The program will be a panel discussion of the book "A Good Age" by Alex Comfort.

The building committee will report on the progress of the construction of the Senior Citizen building. Plans will be made for a bake sale which will be in front of the Piggly Wiggly Store Sept. 3. Financial aid is badly needed on the building, so donations will be appreciated. Names of donors will be placed on a plaque in the new building.

### Party Planned For Young FBC Choir Members

"Sweet Beginnings" is the theme for a party to be held Wednesday at 6 p.m. at the First Baptist Church for enrolling children age 4 through grade 5 in the graded choir program for the coming year.

All children who would like to be a part of a church choir are invited to attend, according to Ronnie Carpenter, minister of music and education.

Children should meet in the choir room at 6 to be guided to the "Sweet Beginnings" party by youth from the church and choir leaders.

The party will feature free grabbags of candy, enrollment in the appropriate choir and receipt of a membership card, fruit punch, choir literature, homemade ice cream, favors, and musical games at the Candy Shoppe, the Music Store, and the Holiday Mall.

Geneva Carter will be directing the Young Musicians for boys and girls in grades 4 and 5. Renee Hymmer will be the director of the Music Makers, for grades 1, 2, and 3; and Marcia Moore will direct the Little Voices for preschoolers.

All choir rehearsals will be weekly from 6 to 7 p.m. on Wednesday.

### Debbie Rodgers

### Attends National Meeting At A&M

Debbie Hargrove Rodgers attended the National Institute on Cooperative Education at Texas A & M University, Aug. 15-18, with about 800 other young people from all over the nation.

Mrs. Rodgers was sponsored by Federal Land Bank Association of Haskell. She was named to attend because she is the Texas Area IV fourth vice president of Future Homemakers of America.

The conference, the largest annual gathering of agricultural and cooperative leaders in the United States, is sponsored by the American Institute of Cooperation, a national educational organization for farmer cooperatives, headquartered in Washington, D. C., and Texas A & M University. The Texas Federation of Cooperatives, the Houston Farm Credit Banks, and Texas Cooperatives served as hosts.

The young people (ages 14 to 20 years) called Youth Scholars, participated in special sessions in which current challenges cooperatives face in a swiftly changing economy and environment were discussed.

### Tennis Lessons To Be Offered By Beau Raines

Beau Raines of Abilene, a graduate of University of New Mexico and tennis pro, will be teaching tennis lessons in Hamlin with classes to begin as soon as a class is filled. Raines, a high school graduate of Hobbs, N. M., is the son of Stack Raines. He also designs and builds tennis courts.

An application is elsewhere in this issue to be filled out and mailed to Raines, Box 512, Hamlin, Texas 79520. He may be contacted by phone in Abilene at 692-4899.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pope of Haskell are parents of a girl, Mandi Michelle, 7 lbs., 11 oz., born Aug. 11 at 5:40 a.m. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wainscott of Haskell, Al Pope and Mrs. Margaret Helander of Wichita Falls. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Wainscott of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hines of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. William Ely of Comanche, Okla.

These helpful books are available at THE HAMLIN HERALD—How to Build a Better Vocabulary, Harper's English Grammar, 30 Days To A More Powerful Vocabulary, Faster Reading Made Easy and The Bed Speller's Dictionary.

### HOSPITAL PATIENTS

In hospital Wednesday: Eva Amerson, Casanda Thomas, Villa Rountree, Consuelo Fangel, Ida Hester, Faye Harris, Veda Mizner, Jayton Pauline Jenkins, Noel Weaver, Edd Rodgers, Marsha Bartee.

Dismissed Aug. 17-23: Bobbie Amerson, Bobbie Dickson, Rotan Reynalda Martinez, Eva Amerson, Bonnie Workman, Leo Clegg, Roby Bennett Thompson, O. H. Weaver, Jackie Embrey, Brenda Smith, Haskell Gertrude Daniels, Ruth McCurdy, Cozette Rutherford.

### Baptist Church To Show Movie Sunday Evening

"The Miracle Goes On," a 75-minute motion picture of gripping drama and musical inspiration depicting the autobiographical story of the life of composer John W. Peterson, will be shown at 6 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church as part of the church's recognition of Church Music Week.

The movie will include a personal appearance by Peterson and music arranged by Ron Huff conducting a full concert orchestra, a 200-voice choir, and the musical group "Truth." Also in special concert appearances will be Dave Boyer, Lillie Knauls, The Peterson Trio, and Doug Oldham.

John W. Peterson is the most well-known gospel song composer in the world—in fact, he is called "Dean of Christian Composers," says Ronnie Carpenter, minister of music at the local church. "With over 1,000 hymns and gospel songs to his credit and millions of copies of his cantatas in circulation, Peterson's music is sung around the world," Carpenter added.

Following the showing of "The Miracle Goes On" the church will have an ice cream social in the fellowship hall with homemade ice cream and cakes provided by the members.

### Oak Grove Sets Dinner Saturday

The Oak Grove Baptist Church Usher Board will be sponsoring a dinner Saturday at 5:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall. Price per plate is \$2.25 and the public is invited, according to Mary Esco, president.

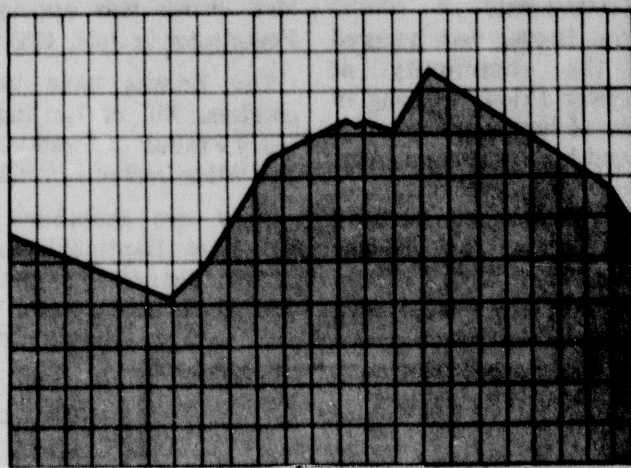
The menu will include fried chicken, broccoli and rice, green beans, congealed salad, rolls, assorted pies and iced tea.

News deadline is noon Tuesday.

### It's A Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Garry L. Bartee are parents of a son, Alan Kyle, 7 lbs. 4 oz., born Aug. 24 at 4:55 a.m. Other children are Garry Chad, 5, and Stacy Leigh, 17 months. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Freudiger and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bartee, all of Albany. Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Neeley of Strawn and paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brooks and Mrs. B. B. Bartee, all of Albany.

## OFF-PEAK-USE FOR A BETTER LOAD FACTOR



If everyone used the same amount of electricity every hour of every day throughout the year, the cooperative's "load factor" would be 100% and the cost of power would be less. The ratio of a utility's average load to its greatest load is called the load factor and the higher the load factor the lower the cost of power.

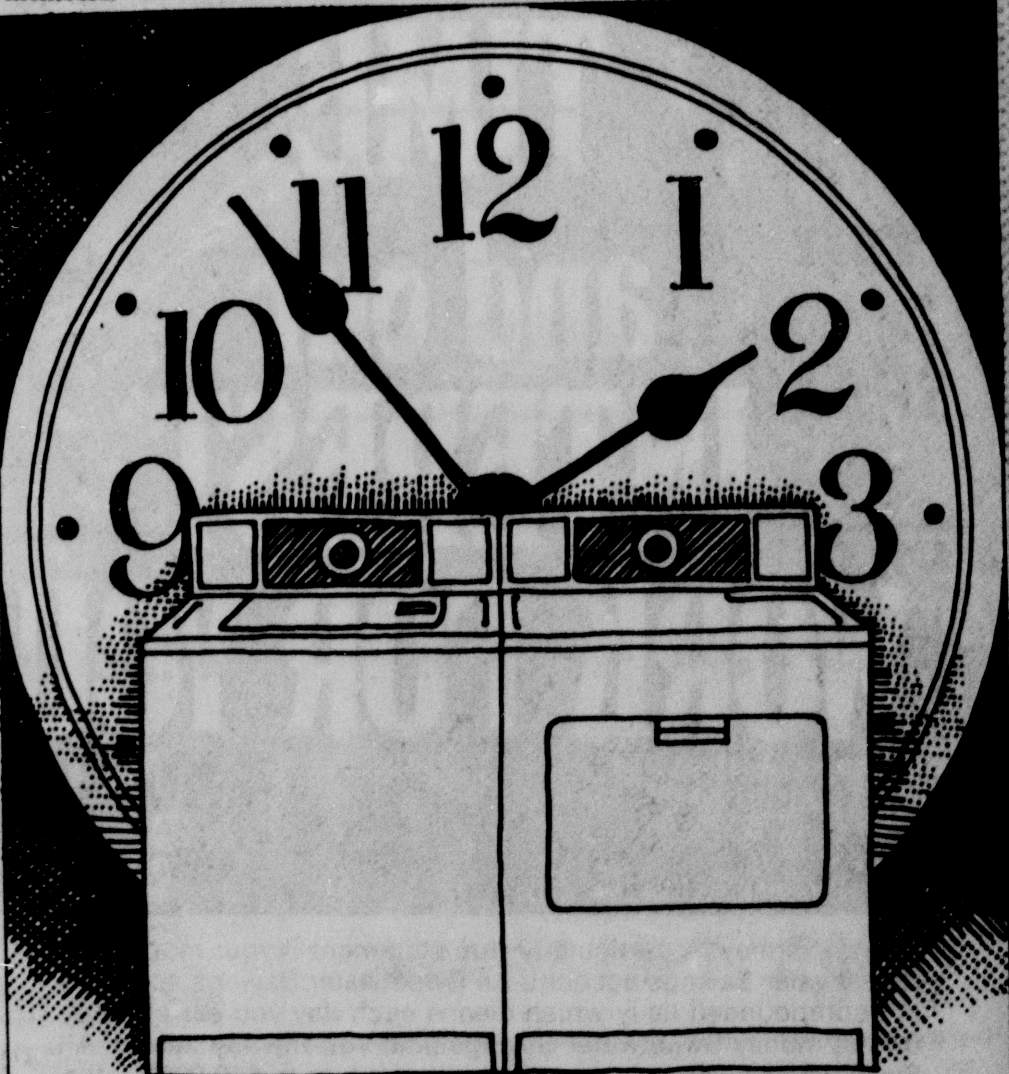
But people use a lot more electricity in the evenings than they do at other times and a lot more electricity in the summer, with air conditioning, than in the winter. So we have daily as well as seasonal peaks. Our challenge is to level these peaks for a better load factor to have fuel and money.

Seasonally, electric heating in the winter helps balance the power required for summer air conditioning. Security Lights improve the load factor and are a practical addition to any rural home.

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## Time savers.

Time to start that needlepoint. Time to have fun with the kids.

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**STUDIO SALUTES YOUNGSTERS**—Wolts Studios, Inc., salutes the following youngsters as Hamlin's citizens of tomorrow. Left to right, they are (top row) Chris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Brown; Kristi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shands; of Midland; Holly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hester; J. J., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Clawson of McCauley; (second row) Cheryl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Fransworth; Donley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Nelson; Kerl Evonne and Kendall Ward, children of Pat and Geneva Carter; Jennifer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Charlie Bishop; (third row) Sheila and Joey, children of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Smart; Buckey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Stephens; Kimberly and Stephen, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Carpenter; Tiffany, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coye Pritchard; (bottom row) Jennifer Bishop and Holly Hester; Terry and Billy Roy, children of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wayne Cooper of Jayton; Coty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Woolf; and Royce and Travis, sons of Mrs. Roy Pritchard. (Copy and identification by Wolts Studios, Inc.) Paid advertising.



# Elementary Students to Find Some Changes This Year

When Hamlin Elementary School students return to classes Monday they will find some changes have been made. Some of the changes will affect only those students in the second through the fifth grade, but some new concepts in education will be made at all levels.

A new program that will affect students at all levels, Kindergarten through fifth, is

structured physical education. This program will provide every child a better chance at physical development, according to Larry Butler, principal.

This program is based on a course used at the elementary schools in Abilene with great results, Butler said.

During the past decade educators and research scientists have proved that

psychomotor development (hand-eye coordination, physical movement and development) is essential for and lends to good mental development and child's ability to read.

Each day all children will go through the course that

has been developed on the elementary playground. A teacher or coach will supervise all children, assisting them when needed. No child will be asked to do any obstacle that is beyond their capability, Butler said.

For students in grades two through five, there will be a

new daily silent reading program conducted this year. Every day all students, teachers, aides, secretaries and the principal will read material of their choice for 20 minutes.

For students this can be a comic book, newspaper, library book, or whatever

they would like to read, Butler said. No other activity will be taking place at this time. The emphasis behind this activity is to increase everyone's pleasure for reading and in the future, better readers.

An open-concept, team-teaching arrangement has also been developed for the second grade this year. Team-teaching will also be

utilized to some degree in the two third grade sections, Butler said.

Butler said that all interested parents are urged to come by and view these new instructional methods.

Elementary classes will begin Monday at 8:30 with kindergarten dismissing at 2:30, first grade at 2:35, second grade at 2:40 and third through fifth at 3:20.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Beach Smith of Haskell are parents of a son, Chris Wayne, 9 lbs., 10 1/2 ozs., born Aug. 21 at 4:52 a.m. Other children are Eric, 7, and Dane, 2. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. Procopio of Granbury and Mr. and Mrs. Beach Smith of Hamlin.

Visiting Mrs. Ina L. Parker during the weekend were her children, Royal and Jean Parker of Stockton, Calif.; Louise and W. T. Ivy of Hobbs, N. M.; and grandchildren, Quita and Bill Arms of Mustang, Okla.; and Judy Champagne of Danbury.

## Mrs. Brown to End 31-Year Career With Sylvester PO

Mrs. W. B. (Ruth) Brown will conclude 31 years of service in the Sylvester Post Office Friday and announces her retirement.

Mrs. Brown was honored by the community of Sylvester Friday evening in honor of her birthday, Aug. 12, and her retirement, Aug. 24.

Mrs. Brown and husband W. B. moved to Sylvester June 21, 1940, from Longworth. She started work

in the Post Office as clerk Feb. 15, 1946. In 1954 she was appointed officer in charge when Mrs. McHaney retired. Mrs. Brown was appointed Postmaster in July, 1955.

The Browns have three children, Bill of Harlingen, Mary Prather of Sweetwater and Wilda Deel of Levelland.

They are members of Sylvester Baptist Church where she has served as church clerk for about 20 years.

## STAR, HERALD TO MERGE SEPT. 8— Mrs. Truette Hennig to Cover Aspermont News for Herald

"We are proud to announce that Mrs. Truette Hennig has agreed to serve as correspondent for the Aspermont area when the Star and the Aspermont Herald are merged into one newspaper," Bob Craig, publisher, said this week.

"In an effort to give Mrs. Hennig a little more time to get ready for this new

responsibility, we have postponed the merger one week," Craig said. All subscribers will begin receiving the combined issue of the Herald and the Star with the Sept. 8 issue.

"Mrs. Hennig is currently serving as correspondent for the Aspermont area for the Abilene Reporter-News and is doing an excellent job for them. We know that she will keep Aspermont well represented under this new arrangement," Craig said.

In announcing the pending merger of the two newspapers Craig said that he wants to assure the Asper-

mont readers that they will continue to have as much news coverage as is possible. Most of the regular features of the Star will be included in the combined newspapers.

"It is our desire that by merging the two newspapers we will be better able to serve all of the people in the Aspermont and Hamlin area," Craig added.

Craig had originally announced the merger to take effect with the Sept. 1 issue but delayed it for two reasons. The first was to fit into Mrs. Hennig's schedule and the other was a couple of efforts to work out arrangements to keep the Star going, but these efforts failed.

The pending merger was brought about by the declining advertising revenues in the Star over the past few years, along with continuing increase in costs.

"Although we know that because of a sense of pride the people of Aspermont prefer to have a newspaper all their own, we feel that because of the many common interests of the people of the Hamlin and Aspermont areas we feel we can better serve these needs with one newspaper," Craig said.

All current subscribers will receive the combined newspapers for the full time left on their subscriptions, Craig said. Those who are now taking both newspapers will have their time extended accordingly, he added.

### NEWS AND VIEWS. . . And What Have You --Continued from Page One

An attempt has already been made to close down some of the smaller rural post offices. And maybe in some cases those people could get service just as good some other way. But a lot of them couldn't. And as long as the postal service belongs to the American people, don't they all have a right to service?

There is a bill in Congress now that offers some help. It is offered by James Hanley of New York and Charles Wilson of California. It is H.R. 7700 and would make appropriations available for the postal department, take care of the Court of Appeals decision, and provide for the congress and the president to have a role in setting postal policy.

But we understand that this bill may be in trouble because it appears now that President Carter may oppose it. As with a lot of other things, before he was elected he was calling for restoration of the public service character of the Postal Service and the abolition of the Postal Rate Commission.

Now he is more interested in balancing the budget.

The only thing that will return the post office to a service organization as we have grown up to expect will be public demand. If enough Americans write to their representatives, senators and even their president things will change.

But don't go over to the local post office and bug Bobby and his helpers. They have more than they can do just filling out all the forms now being required by the Postal Service. All of us on the outside of government think we have too many government forms but it is nothing compared to what those inside government are faced with.

### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Bob,

May I take this opportunity to say thank you to you and Barbara and especially to the officers, directors and members of the Board of Community Development and also to the entire community who have made my years as Executive Secretary very happy and rewarding time of my life.

Through the cooperation of each board of directors we have been able to see some good ideas become realities for the betterment of Hamlin.

The association of civic minded people and the opportunities for pleasant contacts in many and varied fields have truly enriched my life and given me an even greater appreciation of my home town.

My wish for the Board of Community Development, the new secretary, Sonja Neal, and the community as a whole is success in every possible way.

Yours truly,  
Peggy Bonds

### County Leaders To Meet Tuesday On RC&D Project

Civic leaders and elected officials of Jones County have been invited to attend a meeting in Anson Tuesday on the Big Country Resource Conservation and Development organization. The meeting is being hosted by the California Creek Soil and Water Conservation District.

The meeting will be held in the Anson High School cafeteria at 7:30 Tuesday evening. Details of the RC&D program will be discussed at the meeting and projects that have been approved for cost share in other areas will be outlined.

The Big Country RC&D project area covers Jones, Knox, Kent, Stonewall, Haskell, Scurry, Fisher, Mitchell and Nolan counties.

A spokesman for the Conservation District said that RC&D projects are local projects, usually covering several counties, in which residents work to improve their economy and environment through the conservation, development, and better utilization of their natural resources.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baker, Cheryl and Neal visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Baker, in Arlington over the weekend. Also visiting in their home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Baker, Cindy and Angie of Euless, brother of Eugene.

Deadline for all news and advertising is noon Tuesday.

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The Hamlin Board of Community Development  
Will Host A Reception Sunday  
From 2 to 3:30 p.m.  
In First United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall  
Honoring the New Doctors and Dentist  
And Their Families

This invitation is sponsored by the following businesses and individuals who join in Welcoming these families to Hamlin.

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and loving appreciation all  
the kind expressions of  
sympathy during our recent  
bereavement—to the doctors,  
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friends who brought a special  
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to all those sweet relatives  
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## Stacy Bell Is Top Rodeo Money Winner

Stacy Bell was top money  
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19.6 average on three nights  
of Hamlin's annual Amateur  
Rodeo staged by the Hamlin  
Riding Club at the local  
arena.

Top Bareback rider was  
Bob Wilfong of Stephenville.  
Other first place winners  
were Monte Jones of  
Aspermont, saddle bronc;  
Jimmy Light, calf roping;  
and Phil Brewer and Russ  
Baize, tied with a score of 70  
in bull riding.

Other results were:  
Bareback—Greg Taylor of  
Stephenville, 2; Rodney  
Goodwin of Abilene, 3;  
Bull riding—Mark Terry of  
Snyder, third.

Calf roping—Connie Mac  
Gibbs of Winters, second;  
Raymond Hollabough of  
Stamford, third.

Barrel race—Carolyn Roan  
of Ranger, second; and  
Donna Bell of Hamlin, third.

Team roping—Dennis Hill  
and Ralph Harrison, both of  
Cisco, first with 9.4; Dennis  
Hill and Bill Harrison, second  
with 10.6.

Special events—flag race—  
Stacy Hager of Rule, 9.6,  
first; Kelly Head and Brenda  
Sutton, both of Sweetwater  
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# High School Cafeteria To Offer New Program

Students eating in the high school cafeteria this year will have a choice of two different types of lunches, according to Johnnie Faye Hastings, manager. The students will be offered the regular plate lunch as in the past or a new special lunch.

The special lunch will be served from the cafeteria window opening on to the patio and will be a quick sandwich type meal. Students may take the special lunch with them or eat it on the patio.

The basket lunch will be served with chocolate or plain milk and will be different each day. Students must indicate when they purchase their meal ticket whether they want the regular lunch or the special.

The first week's menu for the special will be as follows:

Monday: chili bun, pickle slices, french fries, cookies and milk.

Tuesday: hamburgers, french fries, ice cream bar and milk.

Wednesday: corny dogs, french fries, cheese slice, cookies and milk.

Thursday: sandwich, french fries, pickle slices, cake and milk.

Friday: hot dog, french

fries, pickle slices, cookies and milk.

The regular and special lunch menu will be posted at all schools in the hall or the bulletin board each week.

## Baptist Church To Serve Meal Each Wednesday

A new Wednesday night program of activities has been adopted by the First Baptist Church to begin Aug. 31. Included will be a hot meal prepared in the church kitchen facility by cooks Betty Haught and James McGough.

The meal, scheduled to begin being served at 5:30 p.m., will be by reservation and a charge of \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for children will be collected.

From 6-7 p.m. the Sunday School teachers and officers will conduct a weekly planning meeting by departments and the children will participate in graded choirs.

Mid-week prayer service will be held at 7 in the chapel followed by adult choir rehearsal.

The Wednesday night program, especially the supper and prayer service, is for all the church family.

Reservations for the first supper may be called in at 576-3664 before noon Wednesday.

## Elvin Gardner Being Transferred To Sheppard AFB

SAN ANTONIO—Airman Elvin L. Gardner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gardner of Hamlin, has been selected for technical training at Sheppard AFB, Tex., in the Air Force air crew operations field.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex., and studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations. Completion of this training earned the individual credits toward an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Airman Gardner is a 1977 graduate of Hamlin High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sharer vacationed in Wichita Falls, Big Spring and Abilene last week.



**POSE WITH CONGRESSMAN**—Jim R. Austin, Mitch W. Lawlis, John Bill Maddox, Carl D. Wade and Scoutmaster Samuel C. Ferguson of the Hamlin Boy Scout troop are in this group posing with Congressman Omar Burleson on the steps of the Rayburn Office

Building in Washington, D. C. They were visiting Washington with the Boy Scout Troop No. 464 July 29, 30 and 31. The group then visited the Moraine State Park, where the National Jamboree was held Aug. 2-9.

## Cotton Fields Being Invaded By Stinkbugs

Conchuela stinkbugs have invaded many Jones County cotton fields and are causing considerable damage to bolls in some areas of the County, says Jones County Extension Agent, Kirby Clayton.

The stinkbugs have moved into cotton from fields of milo following harvest and in many fields considerable damage has resulted from this pest. The bugs do damage from penetrating the bolls and staining the lint.

The stinkbugs go through winter as adults in trash and start coming out in the spring when the weather gets warm. They feed on sorghums where the first generation develops. The adult female lays eggs in cases of 20-40—these eggs hatch in 3-4 days and the young bugs start immediately feeding on the host

plants.

There may be as many as 3-4 generations a year and considerable damage may be expected if the insects appear in large enough numbers.

Clayton urges farmers to inspect cotton fields to determine the extent of infestation. High infestation rates may warrant poisoning to save the crop, says Clayton. For further information contact an entomologist or County Extension Agent.

## Hamlin Native Named Veep At Trinity National

DALLAS—Don E. Johnson, a 20-year banking veteran, has been elected vice president and cashier at Trinity National Bank, John W. Wright, board chairman and president of the bank, announced recently.

Johnson comes to Trinity

from First Texas Bank in Dallas, where he was vice president and cashier.

He received a BBA degree in 1957 from Hardin Simmons University in Abilene. He worked part time in banks during his college years, as well as while a high school senior in his hometown, Hamlin.

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These book titles are some of many for sale at THE HAMLIN HERALD—DR. Atkins' Diet Cookbook, Low Blood Sugar and You, How to Eat Right and Feel Great, Body Mind & Sugar, Low Blood Sugar, The Hidden Menace of Hypoglycemia.

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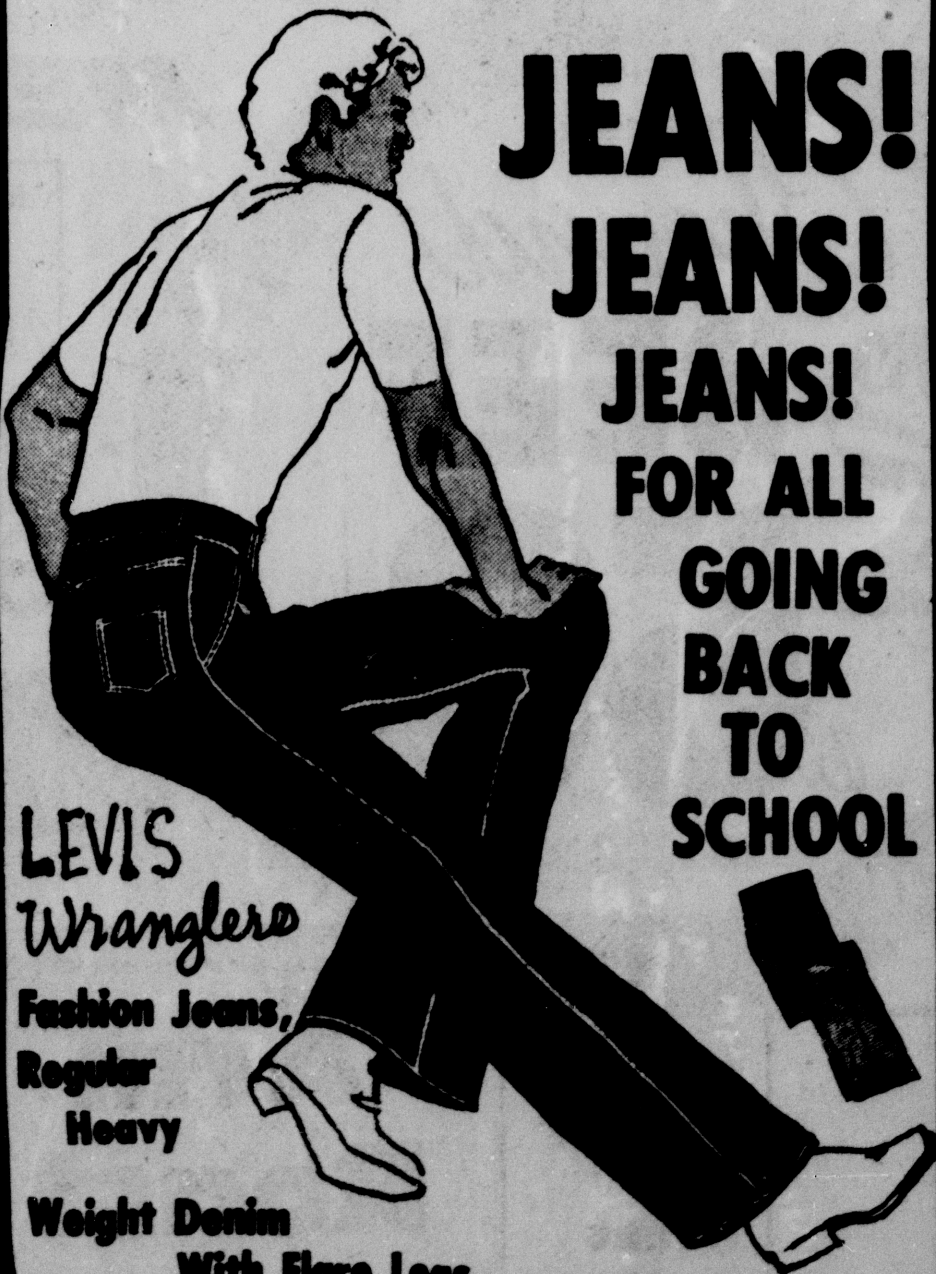
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